

**PROVIDENCE REFORMED CHURCH OF WINNIPEG**  
**COUNCIL MINUTES SUMMARY**  
**June 3, 2020**

- 1) **Devotions:** Tom Hordyk opened by reading Psalm 66 and led in prayer. Council sang TPH #534
- 2) **Business Arising from Minutes/ New Business**
  - A. Reopening for worship services: The latest government regulations were reviewed. A plan for opening services to about 75 people per service was discussed. Further information will be sent to the congregation.
  - B. Election of Office Bearers: Discussion of Election of office bearers was deferred until meeting.
  - C. Membership transfer of Kari Douma to Redeemer CanRC was approved.
- 3) **Correspondence:**
  - A. Several emails received from members encouraging resumption of worship services in some form.
  - B. Email received from Walker URC regarding ongoing support for the family of Pastor Corey Dykstra.
- 4) **Reports:**
  - A. **Deacon Reports:** Collections continue via electronic transfer and cheques mailed to the deacons. The deacons continue to remain in contact with those needing assistance. Deacons continue to maintain contact with the congregation by phone.
  - B. **Elder Reports:** Elders continue to reach out to the congregation by phone. Several concerns for prayer were discussed.
  - C. **Pastor's Report:** Pastor Poppe will preach this Sunday afternoon. Pastor Anjema continues with new members classes via the internet. Premarital counseling was completed with Nik Semonwich and Leeah Desrochers. Their wedding is planned for July 10<sup>th</sup>. Pastor Anjema continues his duties on the Synodical Missions Committee. Vacation was approved for weeks of July 26, August 16 & 23
- 5) **Question Period**
  - A. John Nyhof noted that the July TableTalk has been placed in mailboxes. There have been difficulties receiving TableTalk consistently from the U.S. Still waiting for May/June issues.
  - B. Next consistory meeting will be held June 17, 2020. Next Council meeting is TBD due to Canada Day holiday.
- 6) **Closing:** Brendan Toet closed in prayer.